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MEMPHIS, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, FEBRUARY 21, 1952 ***

TEN CENTS *** NUMBER 36



BIG PROPOSAL—Eight children, orphaned when their mother drowned in futile attempt at rescuing drowning daughter, listen as sister, Patricia Green, is proposed to by Eldon Thompson in Summit, Ill. He has offered to adopt the youngest two children.

Cyclones Tie For Second

Mrs. Dora Henry Buried Here This Afternoon

Funeral services for Mrs. Dora Henry, 74, who died at her home here Tuesday, were to be held this afternoon at 2:30 at the Nazarene Church.

The Rev. Monroe Wilson of Hedley and Rev. I. T. Hogratt of Lakeview were to conduct the service. Burial was to be in Fairview cemetery.

Mrs. Henry had lived here for more than 26 years. She was born in Kirby, Ark., and she and her husband moved here from Kirby in 1926.

Survivors include her husband, W. A. Henry of Memphis; five sons: J. E. Memphis, Paul, Dallas, L. B. Van Buren, Ark., D. C. Fort Worth and Floyd, Demming, N. M.; three daughters: Mrs. Olen Callahan, Memphis, Mrs. Roy F. Thompson, Healdton, Okla., and Mrs. W. O. Thomas, Sayre, Okla.; 19 grandchildren, six great grandchildren; one brother, W. S. Self, Hobart, Okla., and one sister, Mrs. Josie Thomas, El Paso.

Pall bearers were Fred Huffman, J. E. Bishop, J. E. Nix, Mac Connell, Fred Butler and Harold Barton. Mrs. Henry's grandsons were honorary pall bearers.

Murphy-Spicer were in charge of funeral services.

Monzingo Named Vice President Of First State Bank

Announcement was made last week that Ed Monzingo had been named vice president of the First State Bank in Memphis. The new officer was recently elected a director by stockholders of the bank at their annual meeting held in January.

Jas. F. Smith, president, stated that Monzingo will devote most of his time to outside activities of the bank, working with farmers and ranchers of this area. He will continue to operate his farming interests in the county.

New Minister Takes Pulpit At Alaska Church

The Rev. Clarence Flanagan of Wayland College, Plainview, has accepted the pulpit of the Peden Memorial Baptist Church at Alaska, it was announced this week.

First services will be held this Sunday and the public is invited. Rev. Flanagan has been at Wayland the past three years.

BAND CONCERT

Members of the Memphis High School will give their sixth annual Sweetheart Band Concert Tuesday evening, at the High School Auditorium at 8 p. m.

The band, under the direction of Perry Keyser, will be in full dress for the concert. The public is invited.

Services Planned For Mrs. Hammond Friday Afternoon

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Jane Hammond, 92, a resident of Memphis for more than 15 years, who died at her home Wednesday, will be held Friday afternoon at 2 p. m. at the First Methodist church here.

The Rev. Rollo Davidson, pastor, and Rev. Roy Shahan and Minister B. M. Litton will conduct the service. Burial will be at Fairview cemetery.

Mrs. Hammond was born in 1859 in Perry, Georgia, and moved to Texas when she was 6 years old with her parents. She was (Continued on page 12)

CLAUDE'S COMMENTS

By J. C. W.

I have decided to quit worrying about world affairs. Dr. Cornette's talk at the Delphian Club dinner Tuesday evening convinced me that, for thousands and thousands of years of civilization's march, very little progress has been made. Long before B. C., nations, if they believed they had the power, would take over other countries without so much as asking for permission. America came along less than 200 years ago and began to preach a "live and let live" policy between individuals and nations. Some progress has been made a long that line, for now when Russia takes over a country, some sort of apology is given for doing so. In view of the fact that changes come about gradually, and not at once, I guess it will be alright to quit worrying and not expect too much in a short time.

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Spelling Bee To Be Held Friday At MHS

Finals in both the junior and senior Spelling Bees will take place Friday morning starting at 10 o'clock at the Memphis High School.

Two entries from each school in the county, Turkey, Estelline, Lakeview and Memphis, will take part in the Bee. Entrants in the junior division are sixth graders or below, and senior division includes seventh and eighth grades.

The Junior winner will receive a Silver Loving Cup and a chance to participate in the Senior Spelling Bee. Ribbons will be presented to each winner from the different schools.

Winner of the Senior Spelling Bee earns the chance to go to Amarillo March 8 and take part in the Regional Spelling Bee where children from 42 counties in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Kansas

The public is invited to attend the Bee.

Deep Plowing Proves Good For Land Here

The best return from 30 acres of sandy land located in Collingsworth county near Quail, in more than 48 years was realized this past year by M. O. Goodpasture.

Goodpasture said that he bought the land in 1904 and last year for the first time, tried deep-breaking plowing down to about 20 inches.

Cost of the deep breaking was about \$300. Goodpasture paid \$150. After filing his 1951 income report Goodpasture figured out that he paid the government more in income taxes off of that 30 acres than it cost them to pay (Continued on page 12)



Lakeview, Estelline Cagers Win

The Lakeview girls basketball team and the Estelline boys Cagers toot top honors in winning the District 4-B tournament at Estelline last weekend.

Both Lakeview and Estelline will compete in the Regional tournament which will be held in Canyon, March 8.

The Lakeview girls defeated Silverton in the first play-off game, 44-36. In the next bracket, the Lakeview forwards scored 42 points while Matador, defending champions of their district, scored 34. Both Lakeview and Matador advanced to the finals and played their second game.

Before a capacity crowd, the Eagles defeated the Matador team 37-35 for the tournament championship.

During the current season, the Lakeview girls have scored 976 points to their opponents 593. Jettie Sams led the scoring with 381 points. Wanda Kennard was next with 260 and Rita Harmon scored 259.

The sixtette won 19 games and lost 3. Regular guards are Sheila Killian, Sue Hall and Faydene Byars.

E. J. McKnight, coach, has scheduled a game with Claude next Tuesday evening, (Feb. 25) in the Lakeview gym at 7:30.

The Claude girls team are the defending state champions and winners of their district this year, so this should be one of the outstanding girls games, according to McKnight.

The public is invited.

Livestock Show Scheduled Here Next Weekend

Plans and arrangements were well underway this week in preparation for the annual 4-H Club and FFA Livestock Show which will be held next Friday afternoon and all day Saturday according to County Agent W. B. Hooser and FFA Advisor Weldon McCrea.

The Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the Show and officers have stated that they expect to have \$500 in prize money available for the boys livestock show.

An Angus and Hereford breeding show will be held of all boys Friday afternoon with judging and then the Junior steer and (Continued on page 12)

Rain Program Gets Started



REV. CARL BATES

Baptist To Hold Convention Here Next Tuesday

The Fourteenth Annual Session of the District 10 Convention of the Baptist General Convention of Texas opens here at the First Baptist Church Tuesday morning.

The Rev. Jeff Moore, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church in Borger is the convention president.

The Rev. Carl Bates, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Amarillo will deliver the Convention sermon at 11:30 Tuesday morning.

The Convention gets underway at 10:30 with a song service led by Bob Callahan, educational director of the Buchanan Street Baptist Church of Amarillo. Chester O'Brien, pastor of the Gruver First Baptist Church, will lead the devotional at 10:45 followed by local pastor Rev. Roy Shahan who will give the welcome address.

Marvel Upton, pastor of the Sunray First Baptist Church, will give the Welcome response.

Lunch will be served at noon and the afternoon session will begin at 1:30 when Taft Holloway, Pastor of the Canadian First Baptist Church leads the song service.

Louie Self, pastor of the Estelline First Baptist church will give the devotional at 1:45 and organizational meetings will be held at 2 p. m.

Weldon Lewis will lead the Sunday School part. Lewis is District president of the VBS. Bill Burton, district President of the Training Union will lead that part. Mrs. Cecil Giff, District WMU (Continued on page 12)

Interest of local farmers, ranchers and businessmen reached a climax here Wednesday afternoon as they attended a meeting in the county courthouse to hear Foard Hubbard, a representative of the Water Resources Development Corporation of Denver, explain the rain-making program.

Highpoint of the meeting was reached when the men present voted to go ahead and submit their checks to get the local program underway.

About half of the county goal \$6,000 was raised before the meeting adjourned yesterday afternoon.

A temporary working committee was appointed by the men with Clifford Farmer as chairman. Other men on the committee are Paul Montgomery, representing the northeast section of the county, Edward Hillis from Lakeview and western part, George Colvin from Turkey, Lewis Foxhall of Memphis and Bill Hughes from the Mill Iron Ranch.

These men will meet at 2 p. m. Saturday at the courthouse to make further plans.

Individual meetings in each community to explain and talk about the rain program may be held, Chairman Farmer said.

"We feel like the interest is great enough to go ahead and explain the program to the people who couldn't be present Wednesday," Farmer said.

According to Hubbard, the Water Resources Development Corporation has set up an overall program for a five million acre district of which Hall County is a part. Their program calls for local areas to pay on the basis of a cent an acre for the rain program.

For Hall county this means with 900 sections of land or about \$76,000 acres which would take about \$5,760. The group Wednesday set a goal of \$6,000 and plan to use the few dollars extra for expenses.

People at the meeting Wednesday were told that the money they contributed would be returned if the program did not carry!

Charges to individual landowners will be worked out by the county committee, a permanent one which will be elected later.

It was necessary to go ahead with the temporary committee Wednesday, because most of the other counties in the district are already working on their program and, if Hall County was to be included, they had to get started, officials stated.

Briefly the rain program was explained by Hubbard. The Water (Continued on page 12)

Prater Services Held Here Wed. At First Baptist

Funeral services for Elmer Thomas Prater, 62, who died at his home here Monday, were held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist Church.

The Rev. Roy Shahan conducted the service and burial was at Fairview cemetery.

Prater had lived in Memphis 47 years. He was born in Erath county, Texas and moved here when he was only 15 years of age.

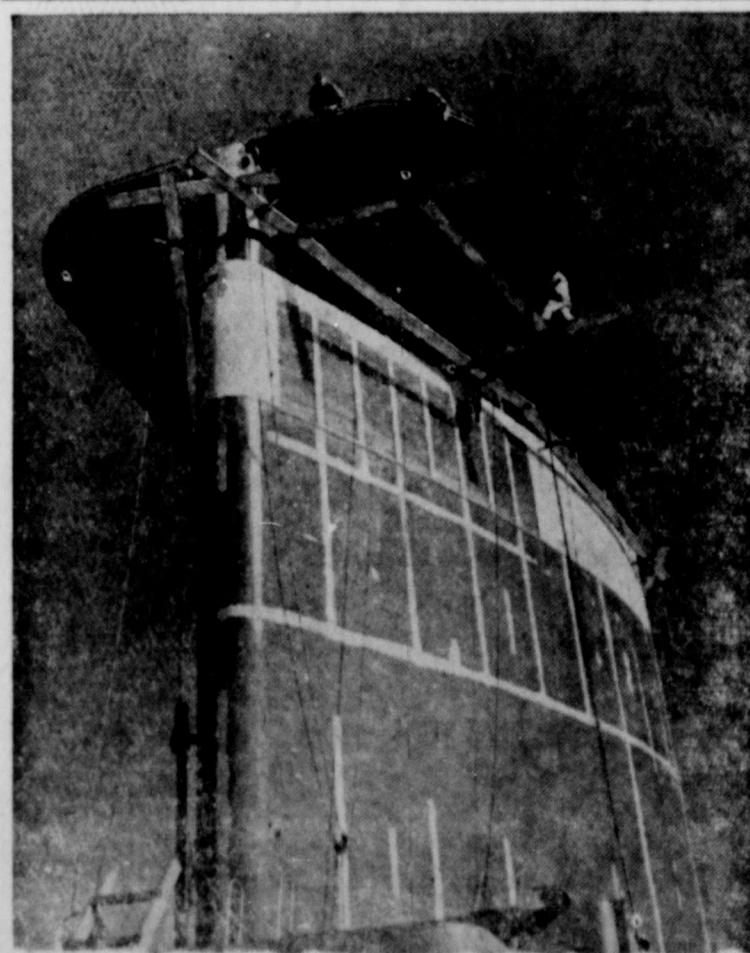
He was united in marriage to Miss Willie Martindale in 1913 here in Memphis.

Mr. Prater for many years was a contractor, and most of the contracting was building roads and highways. For many years he served on the City Council as alderman from his ward, and the other councilmen who served with him remember that he had in mind at all times the interests of his home town.

Survivors include his wife of Memphis; three daughters: Mrs. Winifred Davis, and Mrs. Billy Jo Barbee, both of Memphis and Mrs. Genevieve Pate of Waco; two brothers, W. C. and Hamp Prater, both of Memphis; three sisters, Mrs. J. W. Bodwen, Hedley, Mrs. Jess Dennis and Mrs. T. H. Williams, both of Memphis, and three grandchildren.

Pall bearers were Lynn Walls, Clyde Reed, Ed Monzingo, Mac Tarver, Temple Deaver and Henderson Smith.

Funeral Arrangements were handled by Murphy-Spicer.



LARGEST STACKS—Painters work 175 feet above the keel of the new superliner United States painting the largest stacks in the world. The 990 foot liner, the largest ever built in America and the most modern passenger ship in the world will make her maiden voyage from New York to Harve and Southampton July 3.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Gibson and son Jimmy visited in Shamrock Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leake.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Price and Jimmy and Snow and Gerald Monroe of Clayton, N. M. visited

friends and relatives here over the weekend. The Prices are former residents of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Roberts and children of Lubbock visited here over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roberts.

Bill Kinslow was confined to his home the first of the week due to illness.

Mrs. Foster Watkins and son Watty of Quanah visited here Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Pallmeyer. Sethie, who had been visiting here for the past week, returned home with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin visited in Quanah Sunday night with their son, Dr. James Baldwin and family. They returned home early Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kilpatrick had as guests over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Stephens and daughter Betty of Amarillo and Avis Kilpatrick of Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Milled and Rena Gayle visited in Lubbock Sunday with Adrian and Patsy Combs who are attending Texas Tech. From Lubbock they went to Whiteface where they visited with Mrs. Miller's bro-



SEEK NEW HOMETOWN . . . Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Paul sailed from Germany in a 30-ft. boat without engine or instruments, and in two years reached Miami. They were interned on Ellis Island.

ther, Aubrey McClure and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Sargent of Amarillo visited here Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Sargent.

MEMPHIANS TO FT. WORTH

Among Memphians who were in Fort Worth over the weekend to see the Golden Gloves tournament were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Monzingo and sons, M. and Mrs. Frank Monzingo and Gayle and Carol Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Burnett, Ronnie Mac Smith, Jack Monzingo, Mr. and Mrs. Herlie Moreman and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moreman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Taylor, Mrs. Wyman Davis and Jan and Mrs. T. L. Waddill were in Fort Worth last weekend to attend the funeral service of Mrs. Waddill's brother.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. B. F. Denny were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Denny and children, Carol and Linda of Childress.

Jim Smith of Amarillo visited here Saturday with Billy Combs

and other friends.

Visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler were Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Stephens and daughter Betty and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Butler, all of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fowler of Memphis were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Upshaw and daughter Marilyn of Athens returned to Memphis Saturday to be with her father, Geo. Dickson who is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Reams and children of Littlefield visited here over the weekend in the homes of Thurman Ellerd and Gene Hughs. The Reams are former residents of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Chancey of Amarillo visited here Sunday with his father, W. S. Chancey, who has been confined to a local hospital since before Christmas. He is reported to be much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hoffman of Lubbock visited here over the weekend with his mother, Mrs. A. C. Hoffman, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Beeson had as weekend visitors his brother, Tom Beeson, and sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Moses, all of Olton.

Charles Messer, who underwent a knee operation in Oklahoma City last week, returned home Friday. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Messer, went for him.

Mrs. Kermit Monzingo, who has been in Oklahoma City for the past 12 days where she underwent a knee operation, has returned home.

Gip McMurry and J. M. Ferrel Jr., enjoyed fishing at Possum Kingdom the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCreary and Mrs. Ed McCreary were Lubbock visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Cushenberry of Quitaque visited here Sunday with her sister, Mrs. C. B. Hickey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Pounds had as guests Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crosby of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Duncan and



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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crosby of Littlefield were in Clarendon Sunday afternoon to attend funeral services of Mr. Deaver.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vallance and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vallance are vacationing and fishing at Aransas Pass. Another Memphis

couple, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Odom, have just returned from there after enjoying several days of fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Swift Lindley of Amarillo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunn Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Banger, family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Banger, Okla., over the

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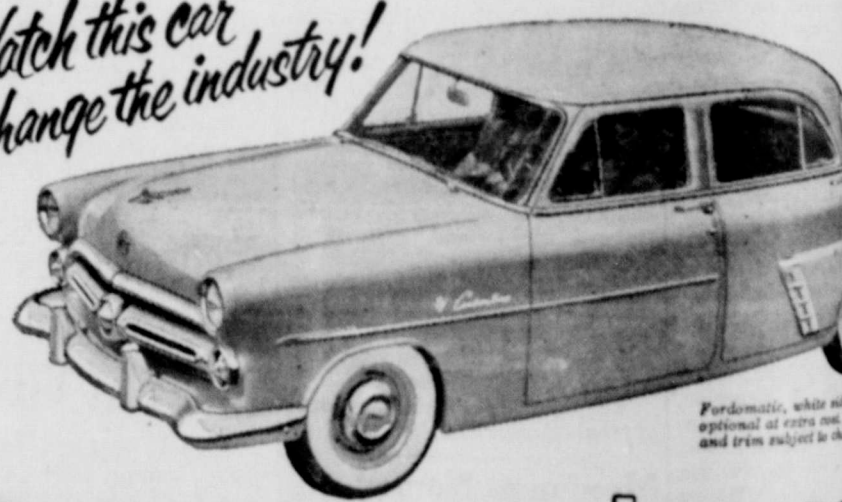
As announced recently, I sold my dealership in Memphis to J. J. and Ira McDaniel. These two are well-known to the people of this area, and I am confident that they will serve those persons who drive Chrysler and Plymouth cars in a conscientious manner.

I have purchased an automobile business at Dumas and will move my family to that city within a short time. I want you folks to visit me when you are in the vicinity.

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1948 Ford Tractor with Lister, Planter and Cultivator.

- 1-John Deere Cotton Stripper (stripped 15 bales)
- 1-Ford Tractor Slip
- 1-Ford Tractor Grader
- 1-Ford Tractor mounted Stalk Cutter
- 1-5-Row Drag-type Stalk Cutter
- 1-Factory-made 4-wheel Cotton Trailer
- 1-Shop-made 4-wheel Cotton Trailer
- 2-2-wheel Trailers
- 2-4-wheel Chassis for trailers, complete with tires, wheels, and hitches
- 2-Drag-type Go-Devs

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

- 2-Butane Bottles
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- 2-Butane Stoves
- Hoes, Shovels, Sweeps, Post Hole Diggers, Post, Wire, and numerous miscellaneous items
- 3-Top Hogs

(All equipment listed above in perfect condition)

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Chevrolet Co. Old Opening Sat.

and formal opening of the new Chevrolet Co. will be held Saturday, Owners Tomie Potts and Homer Tucker announced. The new home of the Chevrolet Co. will be located on the corner of Main and Oldsmobile. Free coffee and donuts will be served to all who stop in. Plans have been made for the new building to be completed by the end of the month, but final plans are not yet made. Potts said. The new front of plate glass windows and steel glass has been installed. A new ceiling and new fixtures in the parts department, new and bins have been installed and entire facilities moved to make for better and customer service. Tomie Potts first started in the automotive business in 1928 with Davenport. Potts bought his first car in 1932 and has managed business since then. Homer joined the organization in 1935, and became part owner in 1940. Of the eight employees have with the organization four and longer. L. O. Dennis, man, has been with Potts since 1930. Dick Spoon has put in more than 30 years with Potts.

He is service manager. Fred Butler, mechanic, has worked there six years and Bud Lemons, mechanic, has been there six years. Orval Wheeler, body shop foreman, has been there 10 years and his brother Oris has worked there six years.

Bennie Dennis, parts manager, has put in seven years behind the Potts counter and Earnie Anthony, mechanic, has worked there four years.

PLASKA

By MRS. W. L. NABERS

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brock were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reagan in Clarendon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hodges attended the ball game at Hollis, Okla. Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Weatherby and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sams Sunday.

Several from this community attended the ball tournament in Estelline Thursday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kate and children of Lockney visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers. Mrs. Kate will be remembered as Miss Tennen who formerly lived at Deep Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Collin Craighead and daughter are visiting in East Texas this week.

Mrs. J. T. Brock spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dollar at Borger. Rev. Dollar was carried to Groom Hospital for an operation Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. N. Orr of Littlefield and Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Orr and daughter of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tiner and children of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Orr and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr Sunday.



NEW YORK'S FINEST (MIDWIVES) ... Mrs. John Kennedy, Brooklyn, gave birth recently with Patrolman James Rooney (holding baby) assisting. Looking on is Patrolman Seifried and papa.

ed with Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Koeninger and children and Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Nabers and son Mike spent Sunday in Palo Duro Canyon.

Elton Murdock of Memphis visited Monday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Murdock.

Mrs. Henry Willison and children of Goodnight and Mrs. Harold Saxon of Memphis and Mrs. John Murdock visited with Mrs. W. L. Nabers Thursday evening.

Yvonne McDaniel spent Friday night with Earline Foster.

Sherry Truelove and Earline Foster spent Saturday night with Yvonne McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Foster and children visited in Memphis

with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spry Sunday afternoon.

Those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brooke Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Roper and Mrs. Greene of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Nabers of Spade, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Parr of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Gardenhire and children and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall and Mrs. Arnold Hall went to Kirkland Tuesday night with the basketball team.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Muncy spent the weekend in the home of her sister, Mrs. Doyle Hall and attended the basketball games at Estelline Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall and family.

Band And Choral Jackets Received

The band and choral jackets for the girls were received Monday.

The Gold surcoats, ordered by some of the girls are trimmed in black lyre's while the senior jackets have the black "M".

The twirlers and a few choral members received the gray surcoats trimmed in gold.

Girls receiving jackets were: Anne Shankle, Donna Webb, Barbara Myers, Gereta Graham, Margaret Massey, Juanell Brooks, Betty Shawhart, Marilea Pruett, Sherry Trulove, Sharon Harrison, Frankye Strygley, Patsy Armstrong, Roberta Nelson, Inez Mar-

tin, Bobbie Shaw, Mary Garrett, Monta Saye, Jo Anne Odom, Billie Strohle, Rita Jo Hale, Pauline Hammonds, Jo Anne Kennon, Beverly Snell, Jo Hart, Betty Burnett and Anita Murphy.

MHS Tennis Teams Have Eliminations

Tennis elimination have been played-off during the extended noon hour for the Junior Girls' singles and doubles and the Senior boys doubles.

Jo Anne Kennon will play Junior Girls' singles in District Com-

Eudine Gable and Ann Spoon students at WTSC, were home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall went to Wichita Falls Monday where Mrs. Hall will have a medical check-up.

Mrs. Harvey Wines and children of Memphis visited in the C. W. Whitfield home Sunday afternoon. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Hub Holt and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hall went to Odessa to visit with their daughter, Mrs. Conrad Cochran over the weekend.

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REVIEW

Leon, J. P. and Carroll attended the finals of the Golden Gloves tournament in Ft. Monday night.

Guests of Mr. Tollie Henry were Mr. and Mrs. Willis of Memphis, and Mr. and Kenneth Bownds of Amarillo.

and Mrs. Lance Leggett the weekend in Borger with Mrs. M. E. Whitfield, and Mrs. L. A. Daniels of Rock spent the weekend with Daniel's parents, Mr. and Lee Blanks.

and Mrs. Harold Gatlin and Gary and Sandra, and Mrs. James Skinner were of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Wansley Saturday night.

Miss Hancock of Camp Chaffin is home on furlough due to illness of his father, Isaac Hancock of Memphis.

and Mrs. Don Knox and of Paducah visited with his relatives this week.

and Mrs. Jim Gowdy and Mr. and Mrs. Troy

Payne and son Gerald were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Verden.

Joe Durham, Wynne Mitchell Lloyd Robertson and R. B. Spruill attended the Golden Gloves tournament in Fort Worth. They returned home Sunday night.

Sunday afternoon callers in the H. L. Blanks home were Mr. and Mrs. Don Knox and boys, Mrs. Paul McCann and daughter Mary, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Daniels, also Ruby Verden, Mr. and Mrs. Daniels returned to Lubbock late Sunday accompanied by Mary and Ruby, students of Tech.

Walter Bownds visited in Spade this weekend with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hillhouse were hosts Thursday night of last week to a Valentine party for the 42 club. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Bevers, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Skinner, and Mr. and Mrs. Horace DuVall. Also Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davenport, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace DuVall attended the formal opening of the Hedley Theatre Friday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Davenport



INCOGNITO . . . Young lady leaves court in wolf mask after testifying before a Prince George county, Md., grand jury probing rackets.

returned home Wednesday from business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas.

Mrs. Joe Durham and her mother, Mrs. Martin, also Aubrey visited in Dallas with relatives this weekend. Mrs. Martin remained for an indefinite visit.

Mrs. Joe Crump and son Gary of Lubbock returned home Sunday after several days spent with relatives here and in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace DuVall visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Davenport Sunday night.

Mrs. Henderson Smith of Memphis spent Wednesday of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Luttrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thompson returned Monday night from a business trip to Dallas.

Mrs. Del Wells visited in Memphis Sunday with Mrs. Willie Isham's mother Mrs. Gwinn.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Smith of Memphis enjoyed a fish supper at the home of Mrs. Smith's sister Mrs. John Capps Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ashcraft and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jenkins of Quannah visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Capps Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Stella Vaughn Moore, and Mrs. Clarence Terry and daughter Yvonne of Lubbock visited this weekend in the Hugh Lambert home and in the S. D. Vaughn home, also were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hillhouse Saturday night.

Mrs. Edd Hillhouse and daughter Amy and Mrs. M. L. Smith visited with Mrs. Jennie Wansley Sunday afternoon. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Billington and Mrs. Edd Lane of Memphis.

Rev. and Mrs. Bernard Seay and children were dinner guests

of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Montgomery Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith and sons Jerry and Sandy, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Seale in Memphis Friday night of last week.

Mrs. Ted Montgomery shopped in Amarillo Monday.

W. T. Clements, Elzie Clements and family, and their mother Mrs. Clements of Borger visited with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Favors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. S. O. Greene of Memphis visited in the J. A. Brooks home Sunday afternoon. Mr. Brooks is much improved from a recent illness. His daughter Mrs. Pete Payne of Amarillo is spending a few days here with her parents.

J. B. Byars returned Thursday of last week from Temple, where he went for a medical check up.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Davis of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. Jog Neal Berry spent Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Fowler. Sunday visitors of the Fowlers were Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Davis of Memphis.

Mrs. Clara Rich of New York City and her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Holt of Leveland spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Holt Sr.

Mrs. Walter McMaster of the Plaska community visited Monday with her sister, Mrs. Lester Bevers.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hughes and children spent Sunday in the home of Rupert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Reed and daughters were dinner guests

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Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Favors and Mrs. B. F. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blanks spent the weekend in Memphis in the home of Mr. and Mrs. McQueen.

Mrs. Virgie Bevers was carried to a local hospital Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Skinner were Sunday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace DuVall received word from their son David Horace that he was sailing for

home the 8th of March aboard the L. S. T. 510 by way of Japan and Pearl Harbor. He expects to be in San Diego the 8th of April. David Horace has been in Korean waters the past few months.

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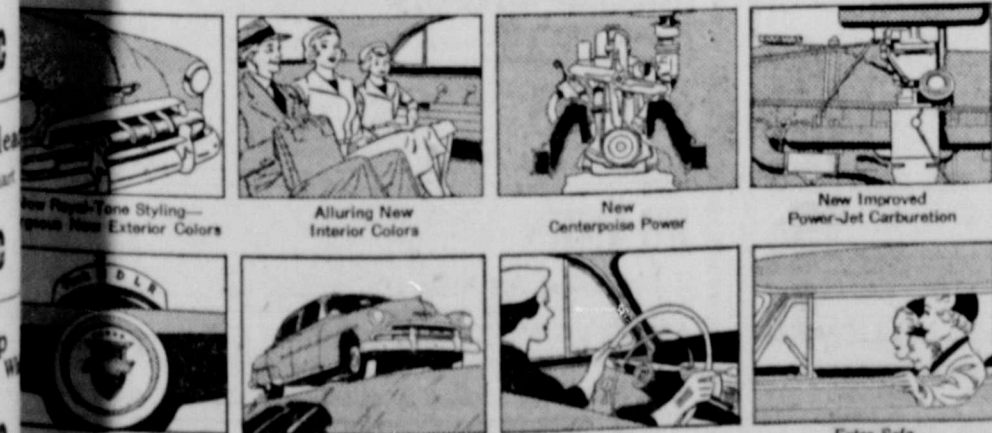


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-Notes-

About Memphis, Hall County
By C. L. L.

Well, I pulled something last Thursday, the first time since I've been here.

Thursday is our biggest and hardest day around the office here and I woke up last Thursday morning just about as sick as I've ever been in my life. Tried to work a while but wasn't worth much so had to give it up and go home to bed.

First Thursday since I've been here that I haven't helped put the paper out!

But I'll admit I sure enjoyed the rest! Although it wasn't worth it, being sick!

Hickey Motor Company is another firm that has done some redecorating. They have had the inside of their business painted and had the floor painted in that popular check pattern. That must be a new thing with motor companies, notice several of them going in for it.

Someone once said: "One of the pleasures of age is looking back at the people one didn't marry!"

Well, did you receive a valentine from your favorite person last week?

Fine thing at our house... my daughter is only two weeks old and she's already getting valentines from a couple of boy friends!

All the school children have been having Spelling Bees this week. The finals are Friday morning at the high school.

I read the other day where they call a taxpayer—incompoped.

Understand big plans are underway at the schools now in preparation for the Public Schools week March 2-8. You'll hear more about this but the teachers may have something to surprise you parents.

Don't sell this rain-making idea short yet. There may be more to it than we know just yet. Scientists are learning more and more about the elements and weather may be one they are getting hold of so that they can direct and maybe control it.

More about rain in later papers.

Here is one of my favorite jokes about Texas: One time there was a guy from Oklahoma who accidentally got to Heaven and as he was walking down the street one day he noticed on the other side two fellows chained to a post.

About that time an Angel was flying by and this Oklahoma man waved him down and asked him, "Say, Angel, why are those two fellows over there chained?" I didn't think things like that went on in Heaven.

The Angel glanced over to the two men and replied, "Oh, those two? Well they are from Texas, and if we didn't keep them chained, they would probably go back!"

Talked to the new assistant

Coach Joe Lane at high school the other day. He has already started workouts with some of the boys in preparation for the track season.

As soon as basketball is over he and Coach John Hansard will devote full time to track. According to both Coaches, Memphis has some fine boys and with more training and practice, may win quite a few events this year.

Talked to Dr. O. R. Goodall this week and he said that he expects Dr. Edwin Goodall here in Memphis about the first of next month.

Not much going on this week, this is 30.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank the good people of Plaskas for all they did for us in our sorrow. May God bless you all is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brock
Route 1, Memphis, Texas

County Teachers Plan Banquet At Lakeview

The second meeting of the Hall county chapter of the Texas State Teachers Association will be held next Thursday night at the Lakeview high school, County Supt. Mary Foreman announced this week.

The meeting will start at 7 p. m. and teachers are to hear and study proposals for changing the state laws of certification of teachers.

R. L. Selby, assistant Supt. of the Amarillo schools, will be here as the banquet speaker and consultant of the study proposal.

All teachers are invited.

School Officials Plan Teachers Workshop Here

Mrs. Nell Alexander, Consultant for the Texas Education Agency, met with school superintendents here Wednesday to plan a workshop conference for teachers here last of April.

Representatives from the Texas Education Agency are scheduled to be here and help teachers in the conference.

A banquet will climax the conference that night.

Additional information concerning the workshop will be made.

MORNING WATCH

Students for the Morning Watch this week were: Glenda Ellis, 8th grade; Juanita Bartley, 7th grade; Frank Norman, Senior; Roberta Nelson, Junior; Roy Don Coleman, Sophomore.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Harris had as weekend visitors four of their children and their families. Visiting here were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harris and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Barklay and children of Plainview and Margaret Harris and Walter Harris of Amarillo.

If you need a home, business or farm in or near Memphis see Walter Hightower, 908 Noel St. or Phone 163. 38-2c

Farm Auction Sale Scheduled Next Wednesday

An auction sale of farm equipment on the E. V. Driver farm, located four miles West and three miles south of Lakeview will be held next Wednesday afternoon, starting at 1 o'clock.

Included among the items in the auction sale are a 1950 MM tractor, butane equipped, four row lister-planter and cultivator, 1948 Ford Tractor with equipment, an almost new John Deere stripper, Ford slip, grader, mount, stalk cutter, a five-row drag type cutter, two four-wheel cotton trailer, one factory made and one shop made, two two-wheel trailers, plus other equipment and some butane bottles and stoves.

Miscellaneous items will be offered including hoes, shovels, diggers, post, wire and three top hogs.

Cleatus Calloway will be auctioneer of the sale. Calloway is the regular weekly sales auctioneer at the Hall county Auction barn near Memphis. He stated that he could be contacted there Wednesday.

SOCIAL SECURITY

A representative from the Amarillo social security office will be in Memphis at the Commissioners Court room next Tuesday morning at 11:15.

If you need a home, business or farm in or near Memphis see Walter Hightower, 908 Noel St. or Phone 163. 38-2c

LEGAL NOTICES

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HALL
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That by virtue of a certain ORDER OF SALE issued out of the Honorable District Court of Hall County, on the 20th day of February 1952, by Isabel Cypert, Clerk of said Court for the sum of Thirteen Thousand, Six Hundred, Eighty-Eight and 70/100 dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Cicero Smith Lumber Company in a certain cause in said Court, No. 34-37 and styled Cicero Smith Lumber Company vs. Gus Rasco and Ruby Rasco placed in my hands for service, I, E. S. Morrison as Sheriff of Hall County, Texas, did on the 20th day of February 1952, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Hall County, Texas, described as follows, to wit: Being all of Lots Nos. 21, 22, 23, and 24, in Block No. 53 of the Original Town of Memphis, Hall County, Texas.

That I will sell the West 90 feet of said Lots Nos. 21, 22, 23 and 24, in said Block No. 53 and if the proceeds thereof be insufficient to satisfy said judgment, that I will next sell the East 50 feet of said Lots Nos. 21, 22, 23, and 24, in said Block No. 53, in satisfaction of said judgment.

That the above-described real property was levied upon as the property of Gus Rasco and Ruby Rasco and that on the first Tuesday in April 1952, the same being the 8th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Hall County, in the town of Memphis, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Gus Rasco and Ruby Rasco.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Memphis Democrat, a newspaper published in Hall County.

Witness my hand, this 20th day of February 1952.

E. S. Morrison, Sheriff, Hall County, Texas. 38-3c

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Memphis Democrat, a newspaper published in Hall County.

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Rockets Defeat Cyclones 27-29

The Cyclones and Cyclonettes went to Wellington, Tuesday night, February 11, for the fourth district game for Memphis.

The girl's game began approximately at 7:30 and Memphis led the first half, but Wellington came back in the last half to win by a score of 29-27, giving Wellington a first-place cinch.

Mickey Murdock from Memphis was high point girl with 11 points to her record.

The Cyclones were edged over by the Rockets by two points 49-47 after they played a 3 minute overtime period when the score after four quarters was 44-44.

S. S. Montgomery left Wednesday afternoon for Dallas where he will receive medical treatment.

Cue And Curtain Presents Program At Clarendon

Members of the Cue and Curtain Club of MHS presented a symposium on "The National Thespian Society" and gave a one act play, "The Blue Teapot", for the Cue and Curtain Club of Clarendon, last Wednesday night.

Members of the symposium were Clinton Jones, Dee Ellen Durrett, D'Arman Peabody, Ramon Arnold, Johnnie McDaniel. The cast for the play was Margaret Ann Massey, Pa—Bobby Hutcherson, Jimmie—Jacky Gilbert, and Cynthia—Sue Miller. Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie is sponsor of the club and others making the trip were Patsy Jarrell, Bettie Kennon, Frank Norman and Mrs. R. A. Massey.

The four members of the cast and Mrs. Guthrie went to Hedley, Thursday night to present "The Blue Teapot" for Lions Club Banquet.

Johnny Brewer was carried to Baylor hospital in Dallas Tuesday for medical treatment.

Locals and

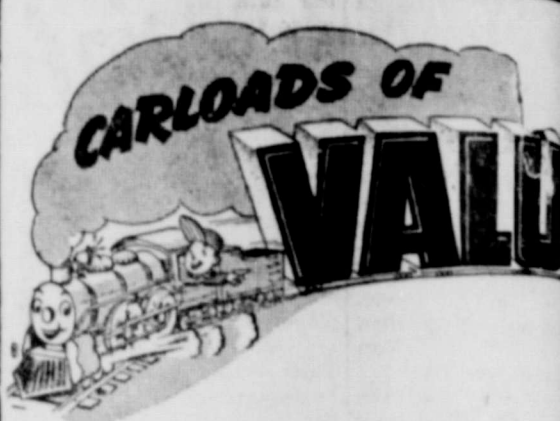
Mr. and Mrs. L. and family left last week for Dallas to make their home. Monango in a cat city.

Mr. and Mrs. P. and family left last week for Dallas to make their home. Monango in a cat city.

Mrs. Jo Miles Wednesday for her way, Colo., after with her parents. Frank Smith Sr. and in-law, Mrs. A. A. in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. and two children of flew down Sunday and Mrs. Jack Baker.

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Pearls of Wisdom

Strung by J. H. R.

visitor to Peking, China, to his friend which in part: "This afternoon I visited a Chinese garden. It was enclosed by a high wall, and on the side, surrounded by twining vines and white flowers, was a brass bell about two feet long. When I asked one of my Chinese friends, the characters said: 'Enjoy yourself. It's later than you think.'"

Many all who have used this little proverb to good advantage didn't visit the Chinese garden but, more than once, it has been incorporated into bits of conversation to incite people to action. Robert W. Service used it in part, as the theme for one of his poems written years ago. In the ancient aphorism was the title of Max Lerner's book on the history of democracy. And only a few years ago it was the title of a very catchy tune on the Juke box.

Maybe Confucius said it or maybe it came from some more ancient source of wisdom but, how it has come into our thought-provoking for instance, this February; already we think because of the coming and the winter, it would be so when winter comes, can't it be far behind?"

It seems we hardly get the Christmas decorations stored away before the red bird is singing in the cedar breaks. Nothing still without stagnating. The tides come and go, and time and tide wait for no man. "Time is here today, gone tomorrow; Joy replaces sorrow and vice versa."

Life is real. Life is earnest. Life is not its goal. But then out, to dust returneth all things. It's not spoken of the soul. It's always pointed out in an old story of two daughters. One was left in a house, the other was left in a house who were left a legacy by their father. That

spring the girls rented a store on the Gaspe Peninsula and stocked it with general merchandise.

When some time had passed and they were doing well their venture, Louise reiterated her wish to travel and see some of the places they had read about but Miriam being a "dutiful Mary" demurred. The years went by and one January night Louise, then in her fifties, set out for home alone. Taking a short cut across a field, she slipped and fell, fracturing her hip. No one heard her cries for help and, when a neighbor found her in the morning, pneumonia had developed. Two days later she died.

Miriam never went back to the store again, and her sister's funeral was the most elaborate ever seen in that area. That spring, Miriam made a strange request of the authorities... she wanted to move Louise's body to California. There followed other disconcerting permits. Today the bronze coffin rests in a fresh grave and not far away a rich old lady, rocking away on a hotel porch, is wondering what place her sister would like to visit next.

Don't be a Miriam all your life. "Enjoy yourself. It's later than you think," may well apply to any and all of us. If there's some place you've always wanted to see but you haven't had time. Take time now. If there's some knick-knack you've wanted for the house but never felt you could afford it, save your pennies and squander them on your heart's desire with the utmost abandon, while you still want it.

We pass this way but once. If we could start over, we might do differently and we might behave the same, only more so. For many it is a rocky road to Dublin but don't waste time with regrets and wishing for a "land of beginning again". Make the most of each passing day, remembering the Chinese proverb which the old Romans said in two words, "Carpe Diem!" Enjoy yourself. It's later than you think!

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Funk's Hybrid Seed Corn
Onion Sets
Garden Seeds
Flower Seeds
Prairie Hay
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Editorial

A World Wide View

We have heard many opinions expressed that the Korean
truce talks may, if they end successful, prevent a third World
War.

In taking this view, people are isolating the Korean conflict
as something aside and apart from the rest of the world hap-
penings.

Now don't misunderstand us, we are not advocating a third
world war, but we would have you look a little beyond Korea
... maybe take in a world wide view.

The troubles that now exist in the smoldering world, Korea,
Egypt, Parkistan and elsewhere are not isolated phenomena.
They are parts of a whole.

The east feels that it has been exploited, subjected to cen-
turies of injustice. Whether this point of view be right or wrong
is not the point right now. That is the way the Eastern World
feels and it is determined to do something about it.

Many writers and thinkers are dealing with this vast prob-
lem. One of them is Robert Kazmayer, who devoted on ex-
tremely interesting newsletter to it some time ago. In his view
our universe is in the throes of a three-fold revolution. The
three dominant factors, which he terms "locomotives of his-
tory," are: First, a world wide revolution of the less privileged
peoples, who are mostly colored, against the wealthy nations;
second, the revolution of the masses against the autonomous
individual; third, the revolution of today's chemical-technol-
ogical age with its atomic fission against the mechanical age
which created the society we know.

Against this background stand two other tremendous factors.
First, the population of the world is growing at a terrific rate,
and the colored population is twice as large as the white and
re-producing twice as fast. Thus, the demand for the world's
goods grows ever-greater, especially among the nations which
have little.

The second factor is that one nation, the United States,
towers above all others in material wealth and possessions.

We are a very young nation, and we have but 6 per cent of
the world's population and land area. Yet facts show that we
have 85 per cent of the world's automobiles, 54 per cent of
its telephones, 92 per cent of its bathtubs, 46 per cent of its
electric power and so on.

We consume 65 percent of the world's corn, 60 per cent of
its oil, 45 per cent of its meat.

Thus looking at the whole picture we can see as Kazmayer
reasons, the locomotives of history are being strategically di-
rected against America, and the Kremlin is doing the directing.

The Kremlin makes much of the statement that it stands
for equality of all races, and in this instance being honest, for
it would just as soon have colored slaves as white.

Kazmayer or no one else offers a solution. They merely

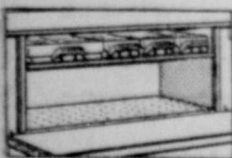
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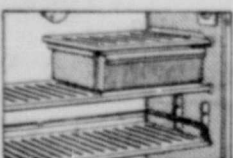


-the
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made for
once-a-week
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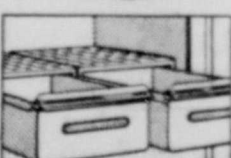
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outlined what they believe is happening.

From Kazmayer and others concluding this view, they stress
one thing: There is no normalcy, no return to older order, order,
not for America, not for the world, not in our time. Until these
three engines of history have been brought under control, or
have spent their steam there'll be no peace as we used to
understand the word.

Taking all this into our view, thus making it a world wide
view instead of just from our own town, county or state ...
our foreign policy must be one of wisdom, honesty and cannot
be split by partisan differences, election year or no election
year.

Press Paragraphs— QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

It's bad enough for the govern-
ment to be in the red, but it is
still worse for "Reds" to be in
the government.—San Angelo
Tom Green Co. Citizen.

... A cross section of opinion
in this county varies greatly but
in the main most of them are
sticking to Taft and indicated
they would want him for the can-
didate over Eisenhower. Their
thinking is along the lines that
they wouldn't want a military
man as President. But at the same
time, they express the doubt that
Taft has what it takes to beat
Truman down the home stretch.
—Caldwell (Ohio) Journal

Only 21.3 per cent of farmers
and farm women said they would
vote for President Truman if he
were running for re-election to-
day, according to a spot check
made by Country Gentlemen mag-
azine. The national farm mag-
azine reports that 71.4 per cent
said they would not vote for
President Truman and 73 were
were undecided.
—Fort Mill (S. C.) Times

... Americans must be taught
from childhood in their homes,
schools and churches, the price-
less value of the right to vote.
Until that is taken more seriously
we have only ourselves not a mer-
cenary administration, to thank
for the corruption in high places
among those we ourselves elected.
—Oelwein (Iowa) Register

... It's time for a moral rebirth
of this nation before it is too late.
Let the wasters, the socialistic
planners be buried under a flood
of ballots that will reverse this
nation's present course and make
us, as a people, more interested

in making the future one of pros-
perity than of debt for our child-
ren.

It's time to stop scandals and
waste and feeding at the public
trough at the expense of today's
tots. It's time to stop gouging our
neighbors for more and more pay
for less and less work. It's time
to start paying our own way for
past mistakes, and making the
future more secure and less bur-
densome for our children.
—Ephraim (Utah) Enterprise

Who was it that said Bob Taft's
job now is to make the campaign
so hot that Ike won't feel the
draft? —Cullman (Ala.) Mo-
dernistic Times.

"Might as well abolish the ses-
sions of Congress on national
campaign years. They are too
cowardly to enact even the most
needed legislation then for fear
of displeasing some of their
constituents, thus causing them
to lose a few votes. —Nanty-Glo
(Pa.) Journal.

Sentiment is slowly but surely
developing among true Demo-
crats to the point that, come what
may, the time is now at hand to
administer a swift kick in the
pants to the New Deal-Fair Deal
Socialistic element now in control
at Washington, clean house from
top to bottom, and turn the gov-
ernment over to the Republican
for a spell.

And when the Republicans be-
gin to show signs of the same sort
of corruption now so rampant in
the Truman regime, then turn
them out, and bring back the old-
time Democratic party, which we
hope by that time will be chastened
and regenerated ... —Chat-

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Memories Turning Back 25 Years From The Democrat

30 Years Ago

Thursday, September 9, 1920
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crease in knowledge of the medi-
cal science in recent years has be-
come so great, has progressed with
such rapidity and has come to cov-
er such a variety of subjects
that it has long since become im-
possible for any one-man to keep
abreast of all the branches of
medical work.

NO ADVANCE IN THE PRICE
OF GINNING—A number of gin-
men of Northwest Texas assem-
bled in Quanah last Monday stat-
ed that the price of ginning this
season would not be increased
over that of last year.

AUTOMOBILE RACES SCHED-
ULED FOR HALL COUNTY
FAIR—Considerable interests, lo-
cally and abroad, is being mani-
fested in the automobile and mo-
torcycle races scheduled for three
days of the Hall County Fair this
year.

RED RIVER BRIDGE ON
CHILDRESS - WELLINGTON
ROAD DAMAGED — Tuesday
morning reports reached town
that the Childress county bridge
across Red River has been so bad-
ly damaged by the high water

that it is impossible
OZARK MONUMENT
BEING ERECTED — Work
OUT COUNTY—Work
Cut-Off, at the north
ner of the square is the
Similar monuments
erected at Turkey
NEFF'S MAJORITY
The final result of the
election held in August
Neff defeated Bailey
votes.

STRICTLY PERSONAL
Mattie Brice, left
Lipscomb where she
a position in the school
A white Persian
Finder please return
H. Roberts and re-
Miss Louise Harle
night for Oklahoma
she will enter the
year. Born to Mr.
Young, a nine-and-
boy Friday afternoon
J. Walker returned
Denver where she
vacation. Misses
Howard, Fay Jeff
rite Barnhart of
friends here Sunday.

25 Years Ago

Friday, April 29, 1927
CHILD WELFARE CONFER-
ENCE REPLETE WITH WORTH-
WHILE PROGRAMS AND FUN-
CTIONS—A tree planting cere-
mony Friday afternoon on the
Memphis high school campus, con-
ducted by Mrs. S. M. Marrs, vice
president of National Congress,
concluded the three day, session
of the Child Welfare Conference
of the Eighth District.

SIX CLOTHING CONTEST
GIRLS GO TO WACO — Six
young ladies of the Home econ-
omies department of the Memphis
high school, winners in the cloth-
ing contest here Friday, accom-
panied by their teacher, Miss
Johnnie Christian, left Tuesday
for Waco to enter the Girls State
Clothing Contest.

HEADLINES IN THE DEMO-
CRAT—Music Week Will Be Ob-
served Here All Next Week—

Pageant Given
Church—County Fair
Nearly \$60,000 in
keting Assn. Chan-
Thompson Car Stole
His Honeymoon in
Memphis Baseball
STRICTLY PERSONAL
Coleman, with
Wholesale company,
an operation today
Mrs. J. W. Binkley
ville is visiting her
T. B. Huff and fam-
J. H. Johnson of Ab-
stopped here for a
Elmer S. Shelly left
to attend the Sev-
nual convention of
Knight Templar and
mandery of the Star
W. J. Wilson and
mery spent a few days
in Amarillo on busi-

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FA Valentine Party Held Saturday Night

The FA entertained with a Valentine Party Saturday night, honoring the FA Ideal Boy, Vance Adams.

The party was held in the high school cafeteria, which was decorated very appropriately for the occasion. The walls and ceiling were made very colorful with streamers of balloons, and red and white paper streamers.

For the scene behind the refreshment table they chose a red heart with gold spirals. Bouquet of red and white carnations topped with a gold arrow. The centerpiece was a red and white refreshment table. The piano was topped with a heart which read "Vance's picture." The refreshment table was planned and carried out by the Valentine team.

Nancy Brewer, president of the FA Club crowned Vance Adams as FA Ideal for 1952. A tall aluminum mixing bowl was used for the crown. Vance was presented with a red apron, a silver spoon and a white carnation. During the coronation the FA sang "Let Me Call You Sweetheart."

Refreshments of Pink and White cakes and Pink lemonade were served after the reading of the FA Prayer.

Home Economics II-A were responsible for the party.

On the decoration committee were Shirley Trulove, Inez Martin, Betty Burnett, Rayford Hutcherson, Peggy Evans, Charles Hartman, Bobbie Nell Long, Roddy Rice, Wynema Edwards, Glenna Widener, Jackie Boone, Jack Montgomery, Donna Webb, Duane Miller, Shirley Miller, Patsy Armstrong, Jimmy Gibson, and Charles Hartman.

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Submitted by JACK HALEY CANYON NEWS

Spiced Tongue

Don Davis: This school must be haunted.

Horace Jones: What do you mean, haunted?

Don: Well, they're always talking about that school spirit.

Mr. Childress received a note from a parent: "Please excuse my boy from his Spanish class. His throat is so sore he can hardly speak English."

The best time for you to hold your tongue is the time you feel like you must say something or bust.

Cyclones Win Tilt In Paducah, 50-37

The Memphis Cyclones and Cyclonettes met the Paducah Dragons on the Dragons home court last Friday night, for the last girls tilt and next-to-the-last game for the boys.

The boys faced Childress Tuesday, but scores were not available at the time this article was compiled.

The girls' game preceded the boys' game and Paducah led all the way. The final score was 42 to 20. High point girl was Betty Sue Spencer with 12 points for Memphis.

The boys' game ended better for the Memphis team with Cyclones leading the Dragons 50 to 37. Ronnie Mac Smith and Rayford Hutcherson tied for high point honors with 16 points each and Duane Miller was close with 14.

Looking Ahead

Feb. 21—Hedley, here

Feb. 22—Clarendon, here

Feb. 25—Sr. and Jr. Sq. Dance

Feb. 26—Band Concert

Feb. 28—TSTA at Lakeview

Feb. 29—Jr. Play

Feb. 28-March 1—Jr. High Tournament at Quail

SNOOPING REPORTER

The snooping reporter of MHS found two new students enrolled in school this week. They are Earline and Lloyd Thomas of Lakeview who are in the 7th grade. Welcome to MHS!

Little Theatre Organizes Junior Club In Memphis

The Junior Little Theatre sponsored by the Little Theatre met recently and had tryouts for those who wanted to become members of the theatre.

Only seventh graders through the tenth grade are permitted to be in the Junior Little Theatre. This is to prepare these students for future club-work in the Cue and Curtain Club, Thespian Society, and Little Theatre.

Officers in this organization are President, Gene Davidson; Vice-President, Sharon Harrison; Treasurer, Betty Lemons; Recording Secretary, Jean Foxhall; Corresponding Secretary, Don Paul Howell; Critic Parliamentarian, Billy Jean Stroehle; Press Reporter, Billy Combs.

Other members of the Junior Little Theatre are: Helen Kulp, Linda Fields, Tanya Fletcher, Joan Odom, Mary Frank Garrett, Elizabeth Grundy, Patsy Turner, Vada Briscoe, Betsy Godfrey, Joan Miller, Patricia Gammage, Glynda Ellis, Monta June Saye, Ann Tiner, Patsy Armstrong, Peggy Evans, Robert Henson, Terry Monzingo, C. R. Orr, John Deaver, Terry Moore, Jimmy West, Dan Durham and Buzzy Patrick.

The Wallaby's

"What would you do if someone gave you a wallaby?" was the question asked some of the students and members of the faculty.

Katherine Wright—I would eat it.

Donna Webb—Wear it around the house.

Jacky Gilbert—I'd take it on an auspicious peregrination.

Mickey Murdock—I'd take it on basketball trips for a mascot.

Jo Anne Webster—I'd auction it off for the senior class.

Miss Hornbeck—wear it on my lapel.

Mrs. Guthrie—put it in the fish bowl until it grew up.

Bobby Dick Hutcherson—frame it and give it to Johnnie.

Paul Hancock—play volleyball with it.

Della Jo Kennedy—try to inherit a fortune from it.

Jimmy West—carry it to band practice.

Yvonne Sturdevant—tie a string on it and pull it.

Max Kennedy—ask it for a date.

(A wallaby is a small size and type of Kangaroo.)

Football Players Honored Tuesday

The Regional Champs of Memphis Junior High School, which included fourteen lettermen and six reserves, were honored at their annual football banquet held in the Junior High Cafeteria, February 12.

Coach Churchill of Childress was guest speaker at the Banquet. In his talk, Value of Football To Youth, he brought out three main topics: (1) Your Future Life, (2) What you get from football you can't get from books, and (3) Learning to Lose.

Coach Childress commented "This year's club was equal to our previous years teams. Homer Tucker was Master of Ceremonies of the banquet."

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Walter Rogers' Column

Lower Income Tax Bill Proposed In Congress

TAXES: Taxes are still the number one worry of the low income groups. The present personal exemptions and exemptions for dependents are not much help with prices rising on all of the necessities of life. It is the low income group that suffers most and the higher the price of necessities go, the harder the struggle for existence.

I have searched the tax laws continuously for an effective means of affording some relief to those hardest hit. My conclusion was that the quickest and most effective relief for the low income groups would be an increase in the personal and dependent exemptions.

By making this change, there would be no discrimination against those in the higher income groups. In other words, the same rule would apply to all taxpayers. But the greatest relief from such increase would go to those who are in greatest need.

On February 11, 1952, I introduced a bill in Congress to increase the personal exemp-

tions on individuals from \$600. to \$1000.00, and the exemptions for dependents from \$600.00 to \$750.00. If this bill is adopted, it will mean that a man earning \$3500.00 a year would not have to pay income taxes.

Many people have said that it is not fair for those people to be relieved of paying taxes. This is not a very good argument because the greatest amount of federal taxes that all of us pay are hidden taxes on commodities that we buy, and local and state taxes still have to be paid as they are assessed.

Under 1948 figures, it would amount to a tax reduction of about 25 percent of your entire tax bill if you are in this low income group. Passing this bill is not going to be an easy task, but I intend to do my best to get some relief so that these low income people can feed and clothe themselves and children. Another bill that I am preparing at the present time is a bill that would permit an allowable deduction all medical and hospital fees incident to the birth of a child. Under the present tax laws and the low exemptions, a young couple is actually penalized for having children.

SOME OBJECTIONS TO WHAT THE VOICE OF AMERICA IS DOING: I have discussed

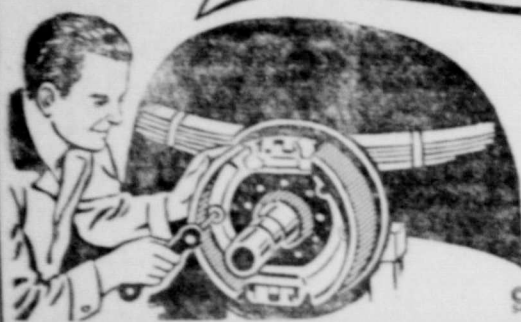
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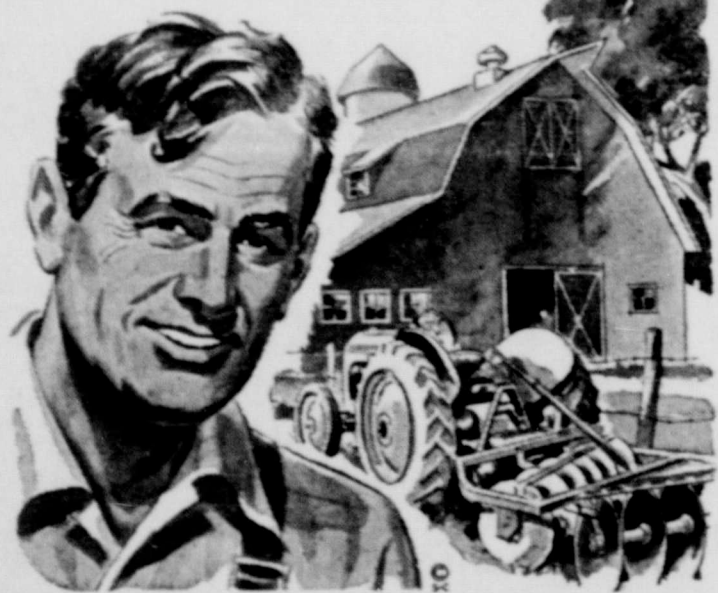
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NO ANGRY COACH CAN POKE HIM (MAYBE THEY PUNCH THE ASSISTANT INSTEAD) - - -

WILL HIGH SCHOOL Basketball TEAMS OF WEST TEXAS (BOYS AND GIRLS) BE in the CLASS of STATE SCHOLASTIC RANKS AGAIN THIS YEAR?

LOOKS LIKE THE PANHANDLE'S ENTRIES ARE BETTER THAN EVER BEFORE!



JUT and HARRY FER

the Voice of America with many people in this country and from abroad. Many of them praise it highly. However, many have some well founded objections that I think should be cured. They tell me that too much time is devoted to telling the people about the many luxuries that we have in this country; that the people in those Iron Curtain and Russian satellite countries actually cannot conceive of any people enjoying the luxuries that we consider as necessities; that they are therefore very suspicious of these stories and doubt the truth of them.

These same people tell me that the broadcasts would be much more effective if they would talk to the people along lines that they could understand. That is, tell them more about roast beef, mashed potatoes, turnip greens and cornbread, and less about ice cream and cake.

In talking to citizens who have come over from those countries, I gather the same story. What the people in those countries want is talk about plain common everyday food and not talk about automobiles, electric ice boxes and television sets.

ONE WAY TO GET RICH.

Ex-communist Whitaker Chambers is now publishing his book "I Was a Witness." This book is being carried in the Saturday Evening Post in serial story form. The estimates here are that Chambers will get \$75,000.00 from the Post for these publication rights. It is also forecast that his book will be on the best-seller list and should net him several times the \$75,000.00.

He is doing this under a system of government that he worked for many years to destroy and, by his own admissions, committed treasonable acts against. Quite a reward for a confessed traitor. It is too bad he didn't get religion earlier. Some of the information that he had, and undoubtedly will publish, might have saved this country from the mistakes at Potsdam and Yalta.

THE BUFFALO LAKE MATTER: I am getting together a lot of facts on these Soil Conservation projects that are going to be mighty interesting. This situation may develop into a full fledged investigation, which I am sure the people of the Panhandle would welcome.

One interesting point is that Buffalo Lake has cost the government about \$350,000.00 since 1939. According to the records I have been able to get hold of to date, the government's cut out of the \$71,000.00 gross at Buffalo last year was approximately \$8,000.00. Another record I have shows an expenditure last year by the Government of \$5,806.00 up to October 1st.

The concessionaire's contract calls for the project to be kept in good repair and fully maintained. If the government, spent \$5,806.00 by October 1st last year, the chances are that they spent by the end of the year all of what they collected, and more, on the project.

This means that the government is furnishing a project that represents an investment of approximately \$350,000, and the only person making any money out of it is the concessionaire. That doesn't look like good business to me from the taxpayers, and the fishermen's standpoint.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Russ of Wheeler were guests Sunday in the home of Minister and Mrs. B. M. Litton.

Mrs. Bruce Smith of Pueblo, Colo., is here this week visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Aspgren and family.

O. Aspgren has returned to his home in Amarillo after visiting here with his son, Harry Aspgren and family. Mr. Aspgren is a former Memphis resident.

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FOR RENT—Two furnished or unfurnished 3rd. St. home 305-W

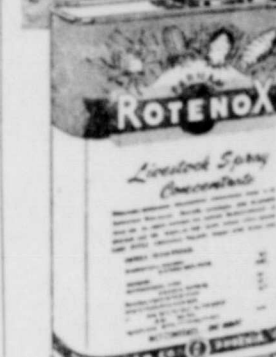
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Two City grocery employees, "Curky" Randal and Grover Kesterson, were ill with the flu last week but they were both back on the job Monday morning.



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NOTICES
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF TULSA, ss. I, the undersigned, Clerk of said County, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the petition filed in said County on the 9th day of February, 1952. The file number of said suit being No. 3456.

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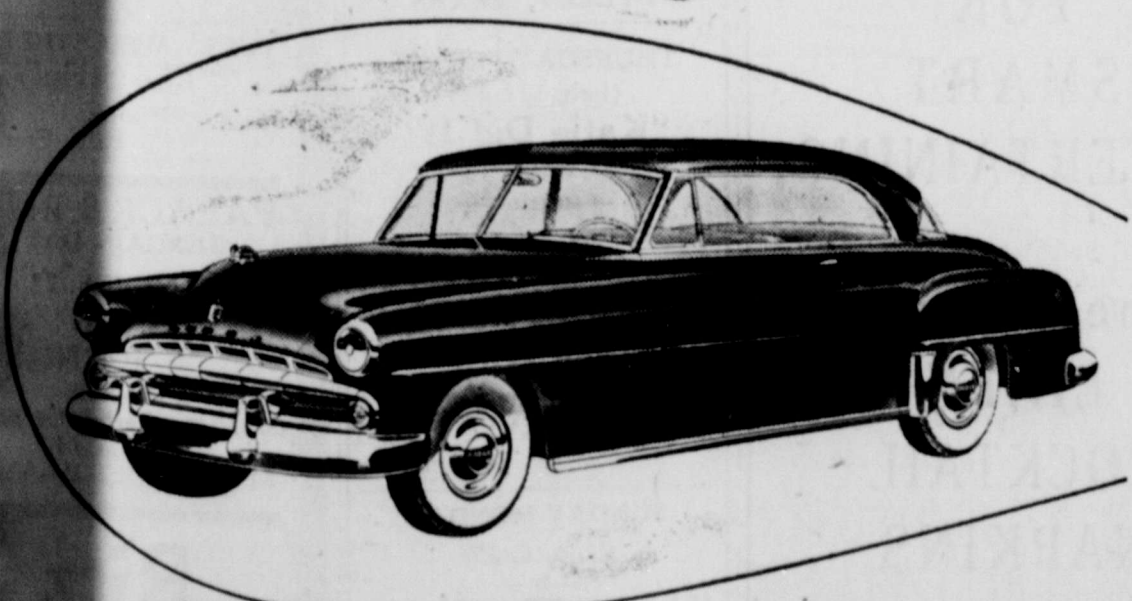
in Memphis, Texas.
Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 9th day of February, 1952. The file number of said suit being No. 3456.
The names of the parties in said suit are Emma Kinard as plaintiff, and T. J. Wood Jr., the heirs, unknown heirs, and their heirs, of the said T. J. Wood Jr., and the Legal Representatives of each and all of said defendants, as defendants.
The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Said suit is an action in trespass to try title, as defined by the Statutes of the State of Texas and as prescribed the Rules of Civil Procedure, alleging ownership in fee simple by plaintiff Emma Kinard and seeking recovery by said plaintiff of the title to and possession of all of Lots Nos. 1 and 2, in Block 44, of the Original Town of Memphis, in Hall County, Texas; alleging additionally that plaintiff has title thereto under the Ten Year Statute of Limitations; that if said defendants ever had any interest in said property, which is denied not admitted, said interest is cut off and barred by the said Statute of Limitations of Ten Years; plaintiff praying for the title and possession of said land and premises, for costs of suit and general relief.
Issued this 9th day of February, 1952.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, Texas, this 9 day of February, A. D. 1952.
Isabell Cyfert, Clerk, District Court, Hall County, Texas. 37-4c



Locals and Personals
attend Market.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Hoggard and W. Z. III of Albuquerque, N. M. visited here over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Blackmon.
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gardner and J. G. Jr., and Winnie Cassels visited in Paducah Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Davis and family.
Pfc. T. C. Blackmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Blackmon, has recently been transferred to Austin from Birmingham, Ala. He is serving with the Air Force.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richards and Joy Lynn Phillips spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Richards and family in Hereford.
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Jester of Altus, Okla., spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jester.
Dinner guests in the B. P. Henderson home near Childress Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Widener and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Helm Jr. and Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Phillips and Miss Ava Dell Phillips and Troy Phillips.
Miss Shirley Ann Hale of Fort Worth was here over the weekend to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hale, 1023 Robertson.
Mr. and Mrs. Oren Jones left this week on a vacation trip to the Gulf coast.
Mrs. J. M. Lane spent last week visiting in Lubbock and Plainview.
Mrs. Guy Edens has been visiting in Dallas for the past week with her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Messer, Jr., and girls, Cynthia and Catheryn. Mrs. Edens returned home with her husband and son Weldon and Mrs. R. V. Messer Sr., who were in Dallas Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. James Arthur Anthony and Jamie Kay flew from Amarillo to Phoenix, Ariz., last Wednesday.

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day where they will visit with Mrs. Anthony's sister.
Mrs. J. R. Stanley of Big Spring has been here for the past several days visiting her father, J. D. Shankle and brother Homer.
Mr. and Mrs. George "Pinky" Vineyard and son Gene of Pampa visited his sister, Mrs. Jack Baldwin and family here Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Regnal Greenhaw of Amarillo were weekend guests in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Greenhaw.
Mr. and Mrs. Larry Grundy and daughter Martha Lynn of Clarendon visited here Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Boodie Grundy and Elizabeth.
O. V. Alexander made a business trip to Nocona Saturday.

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Rep. A. J. Rogers Is Candidate For State Senator

A. J. (Andy) Rogers of Childress this week announced that he is a candidate for State Senator from the newly-created 30th State Senatorial District.

Rogers is now serving his second term as State Representative from the 121st District, which includes Hall, Childress, Cottle and Motley Counties.

The 30th Senatorial District was created by the 52nd Texas Legislature under the redistricting amendment to the State Constitution. The new district is composed of Deaf Smith, Bailey, Floyd, Donley, Hale, Lamb, Collingsworth, Farmer, Swisher, Motley, Briscoe, Castro, Hall, Armstrong and Childress counties.

Is West Texan

Rogers is a native of West Texas. He attended school at Childress, where he graduated from the high school. He now makes his home on a farm in Childress. He is married to the former Georgia Ann Scott, who is a native of the South Plains. They are the parents of a daughter.

Rep. Rogers was reared on his father's farm near Childress, and has been interested and active in agriculture all his life. In high school he took a prominent part in activities of the Future Farmers of America, winning the Lone Star Farmer degree, high FFA honor.

After graduating from high school, he attended Texas A. & M. College, where he received his degree, graduating with honors.

During World War II he served three years in the Army Air Forces as a navigator. Upon receiving his discharge, he returned to farming before becoming a candidate for the State Legislature. He was elected in 1948, and re-elected two years later without opposition.

While serving in the Legislature, Rogers was a leader in the fight for taxes on natural gas exported from the state, and a strong advocate for more and better farm roads. He has seen service on the following committees: highways and roads, appropriations, conservation and reclamation, insurance, and was vice-chairman of the agriculture committee.

Active in Legislature

Rogers introduced several major bills in the Legislature, including a bill to create an experimental station in the Blow Sand District of West Texas to study and control wind and water erosion of sandy soils. Also introduced was a bill to investigate the Upper Red River for water resources relating to municipal and agricultural uses. He was co-author of, and introduced, the bill restricting the sale of drip, or casting head, gasoline. While at Austin, he took a leading part in all moves of the Legislature to reduce spending and taxes.

Rogers has announced no definite platform as yet, except to say, "It's time to quit talking and time to take action to reduce spending that drains the pocket-books of every Texas citizen."

Rain Program

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Resources Development Corporation with headquarters in Denver, do not promise to make it rain!

But they do say that they will try to increase the normal amount of rain fall in the area.

In other words, if there is no clouds in the sky they can't put some there and make it rain. But if rain clouds do appear, they can start their work and probably make it rain in this area, instead of the clouds drifting elsewhere to rain.

Hubbard told local persons that the corporation's records and past experiences are open and may be checked. At present they are working on several other sections in the country.

Another point brought out was that thought they would not forecast that they could prevent hail, their experience has been that with their operation they can reduce the size of the hailstones.

Hubbard repeatedly stressed that their agreement did not promise to make it rain. But where

Huge Frame House Guttled By Fire Here Wed Afternoon

What is probably one of the largest houses in Memphis caught fire and was gutted yesterday afternoon as local firemen fought the flames for more than two hours.

A house owned by John Evans, located on Brice street between Seventh and Eighth streets caught fire shortly after 2 p. m. Firemen estimated the house about 80 percent destroyed by fire. Evans said he had no insurance on the house.

Bob and Burrell Evans and families and Mrs. Anna Mock lived in the four apartments in the house, but no one was injured. Fast action by firemen even saved all the furnishings of the three families.

Firemen estimated the fire must have started in the ceiling, but they could not determine what caused the fire. The major portion of the upper part of the house was burned.

Firemen left the house around 4:30 Wednesday afternoon but were called back shortly after dark as flames broke out again. However they were extinguished in a few minutes.

All volunteer firemen were at the fire and several other persons helped firemen. One Clarendon fireman, Noel Cudd Jr., helped fight the fire.

Seven Escape Injury As Car Over Turns Sat.

A Lakeview farmer and his family escaped injury last Saturday night when their car flipped and rolled over while they were on their way to the basketball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sams and five of their children were in the 1950 Chevrolet when the accident happened near Estelline. Sams said that when he tried to brake the car, one of the front wheels grabbed and threw the car out of control.

None of the persons in the car were injured.

The came back to Memphis and were checked over at the hospital and released and so they all went on to the basketball game with friends and got there at the half-time.

CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Bedford W. Smith, Minister
9:45 Bible classes for all every Sunday.

10:50 Sunday morning worship and Lord's Supper. Parents of young children and babies are to be our special guests this Sunday. If you are in that class you have a special invitation to hear the sermon: "God's Care for the Little Ones."

6 p. m. Sunday: Christian Endeavor meetings.

7 p. m. Sunday evening worship. Sermon: "The Praises of Israel."

3 p. m. Sunday: Services at Hedley Christian Church with sermon: "How men are Lost."

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3 p. m. Monday: Women's Council meets for mission study.

7:30 p. m. Wednesday: Prayer meeting and study.

rain is in the area they can increase the amount to fall.

Hubbard said this might not seem much but on an over all plan, say for a year, if the amount of total rain fall was increased, from a normal of 20 inches to 25 or 30, farmers and ranchers as well as businessmen could realize the value.

He explained the corporations way of treating the clouds. They have generators, not electric, but generators that when operating send out silver iodide particles which react with the moisture laden clouds.

The payment of local farmers would be for a one year period.

Additional information about the local rain program and stories on the program operating elsewhere will be carried in later issues of The Democrat.



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Political Announcements

The Memphis Democrat is authorized to announce the following as candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

For Senator, 30th District:
A. J. (Andy) ROGERS

For District Judge:
LUTHER GRIBBLE

For District Attorney, 100th:
ALLEN HARE

For District Clerk:
MRS. ISABELL CYPERT

For County Judge:
M. O. GOODPASTURE

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
ARTHUR GIDDEN

For County Clerk:
SYBIL GURLEY

For County Treasurer:
MRS. HESTER BOWNS

For Sheriff:
E. S. (Peck) MORRISON

For County Attorney:
Wm. J. (Bill) BRAGG

For Constable, Precinct 1:
Wm. B. TEAGUE

For Constable, Precinct 2:
JACK PEABODY

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1:
LEE CHITWOOD

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
J. S. GRIMES

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:
ROY PATTON

For Commissioner, Precinct 3:
EDWIN HUTCHERSON

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:
GEORGE W. BLEWER

For Commissioner, Precinct 5:
CLINTON RICHBURG

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Roy Shahan, Pastor

Early morning prayer service 9:10 a. m.

Bible School 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship 10:50 a. m.

Training Service 6:30 p. m.

Evening worship 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY—

W.M.S. meets at 3 p. m.

WEDNESDAY—

Department superintendents 6:45 p. m.

All officers and teachers 7 p. m.

Sunday School lesson taught 7:20 p. m.

Prayer service and Bible study 8 p. m.

A welcome awaits you in these services.

Comments

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I still think America is the greatest country in the world, and in spite of minks, stinks and pinks, our way of life has all others beaten to a frazzle. The people are, or should be, the government, and can improve the situation. Most speakers attempt to tell what's WRONG with America. I would like to hear one speak on "What's RIGHT with America." Plenty could be said along this line. Let's take a positive attitude and try to improve the RIGHTS and do away with some

of the WRONGS. It would do a lot toward making life more pleasant and do away with a lot of grumbling.

It has been my privilege to hear several of West Texas State College professors at the annual Delphian Club dinners, and they have all been good. But the speech Dr. Cornette made had all the earmarks of a masterpiece. He certainly kept the audience spell-bound and left in their minds some things worth thinking about in the weeks, months and years to come.

The Republican party in Texas recently passed a ruling that voters make a pledge to support the nominees of the Republican party. The same kind of pledge the Democrats have been taking. This latest move of the Republicans was done to keep the Texas delegation from voting for Eisenhower in the national convention. But a lot of Democrats who want to take a slap at HST by voting the Republican ticket will be more or less barred from doing so, because most people feel duty-bound to keep their pledge. Now, some other method will have to be adopted by some Democrats to do their slapping.

A lot of fellows attended the meeting of rainmakers at the court house yesterday, and not one took an umbrella along. Some rainy-looking clouds passed over Tuesday night, and might have been persuaded by the rainmakers to turn loose, if they had been ready with their cloud seeding apparatus. Nature has been rather neglectful in this section of the country the past few months and may have to assisted by scientific means, if needed moisture is obtained.

"If only one rain can be increased one-half inch, it will be worth what it costs the county for a whole year," was the remark of one man after he heard the rain increasers' proposition.

A lot of whiskered people will miss having George Greenhaw running his razor over their faces, now that he has sold his barber business. The fair sex, however, will not miss him in the beauty-making parlor. George served many whiskered customers during the 33 years he has barbered in Memphis, and before that several years in Wellington. As a barber, he had opportunity to study human nature a lot.

Since I have decided to quit worrying about world affairs, I am also determined to quit worrying about the weather and droughts, since there is nothing I can do about it. In other words, I believe I will just enjoy living and associating with my neighbors and friends, and leave it to others to do the griping and fussing.

Mrs. Florence Switzer, who has resided in Amarillo for the past few years, has returned to Memphis to make her home.

TRY THE WANT ADS

Future Readers of The Democrat



Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor of Quitaque are the parents of a daughter, Shirley Ann, born on February 10. She weighed 8 pounds, 5 ounces at birth.

A daughter, Karla Jean, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jo Richardson of Turkey on February 15. She weighed 5 pounds 10 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Queener of Memphis announce the birth of a daughter, she has been named Debbie Dawn and weighs 10 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan L. Phillips of Memphis are the parents of a daughter, Karen Sue. She weighed 6 pounds, 11 1/2 ounces at birth. Her birthday is February 11.

An 8 pound, 10 ounce son was born on February 16 to Mr. and Mrs. G. Gilbert of Childress in a local hospital. He has been named Gary Gene.

A son, Jimmy Alvin, was born on February 18 to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jackson of Lesley. He weighs 3 pounds, 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Campbell of Memphis announce the birth of a daughter, Connie Rae, on February 18. She weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Gordon of Lubbock announce the birth of a son, John Lynn. He was born on February 7 and weighed 9 pounds, 12 ounces. Mrs. Gordon is the former Margaret McCoy of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Morris of Estelline are the parents of Jackie Dale who was born on February 14. He weighs 6 pounds, 9 ounces.

Four Students Here Enter Spelling Bee

Members who will represent Memphis in the Hall County Spelling Bee are Betty Lemons and Beverly Middleton of the seventh and eighth grade division and Glenda Jean Noah and Glenn Calahan from the fifth and sixth grade divisions.

Winners in the county will participate in the Amarillo Spelling Bee.

Mmes. Guber Lee Mitchell, Leslie Webb, M. Abraham and Tom Abraham of Canadian were guest in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Jack Baldwin Wednesday of last week.



Vivacious Miss Texas of 1951 enjoys June in winter weather at Palo Duro Canyon State Park. She is Miss Jane Holcomb of Odessa. A geology student at the University of Texas she took time out for a field trip to the World's finest geological laboratory which is one of the terms used to describe Palo Duro Park near Amarillo and Canyon.

Eddie Henry To Be Buried Friday Afternoon

Funeral services for Eddie Eugene Henry, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Henry of Memphis, who died Wednesday, will be held at the Murphy-Spicer Chapel Friday afternoon at 4 p. m.

The Rev. Roy Shahan, pastor of the First Baptist Church will conduct the service and burial will be at Fairview Cemetery.

Baptist to

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President will lead that discussion and Bryan Decker, District Brotherhood President will lead the Brotherhood portion of the program.

Buel Wells, pastor of the McLean First Baptist church will deliver the missionary sermon at 3:05. Board meetings will be held before the evening session.

Jack Arthur, Clarendon Educational Director, will lead the evening song service and A. C. Lyons, Excell First Baptist Pastor will lead the devotional and A. J. Quinn, District Missionary will speak on "Thinking Out Loud."

Troett Stovall, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church in Pampa will preach the evangelistic sermon that evening.

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"Katie Did It" and was it fun!

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"At War With The Army"

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SUNDAY-MONDAY

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—in—

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Deep Plowing

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for their share of the ing.

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Livestock Show

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breeding show will be on Saturday morning.

The livestock show will be on Saturday afternoon and details and arrangements will be announced next week.

Services Planned

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married in 1919 to M. Hammond and Hall county in 1920.

Mrs. Hammond, members of the church and she has been of the Methodist she was 12 years of hand preceded her 10, 1937.

Survivors include of Memphis; two Henry Newman and Hammond, both of brother, W. S. Chas; two sisters, of Fort Worth and Morgan of St. children and eight children.

Pall bearers were Collum, Oris Gilmer, Pratts, Pratt, and J. M. Perrell.

Honorary pall bearers George Greenhaw, W. C. Davis, Sid Odum, Dr. T. A. Hilt, and John Murphy-Spicer will of funeral arrangements.

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Cathy O'Donnell

Chapter "MYSTERIOUS"

Rita

Saturday

"Smoky"

Charles Starrett

Chapter "RADAR MEN"

Sunday and

Fort Oglethorpe

Rod Cameron

Tuesday, Wednesday

"The Raging"

Shelley Winters

Leon Errol